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Stoneville, N. C., July 30th, 1919.

The High Point Educational and Missionary Baptist Association convened in its Thirtieth Annual Session with Sharon Baptist Church promptly at 8 p. m. The Moderator, Rev. J. E. Boykin, called the session. Praise services were conducted by the delegates assembled. A Scripture lesson was read by Rev. S. G. Gilmer. Prayer was offered by Rev. John Dixon. Hymn 107 was sung.

At 8:30 an address of welcome by his honor, the Mayor. He being unable to attend, substituted Rev. Glenn, a pastor of the white Church, who gave the delegation a cordial welcome to the city. Rev. A. S. Croom responded to the address of welcome in a most excellent way, and most oratorical excellence, which is characteristic of Rev. Croom.

Address of welcome on the part of the Sunday School by the Superintendent, H. Carter; response by Rev. J. W. Jones.

On the part of the Woman's Auxiliary by Mrs. L. B. Strong. Response by Mrs. M. E. Crews.

On the part of the Church by Rev. Robins, pastor. Response by Rev. H. C. Hairston and Rev. G. H. E. Washington.

The offering was taken by Bros. Geo. Thacker and R. T. Jennings. Amount, $6.25.

After placing delegates in homes, the night session closed.

Benediction by Rev. William Wilson.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION

At 9:30 a. m. the Association assembled. Devotional services by Rev. J. W. Poindexter and Bro. Thomas Welborn. Rev. Poindexter read a Scripture lesson. A hymn was sung, and Bro. Thos. Welborn offered prayer.

The Moderator occupied the chair, and the enrollment of churches and delegates began. (See roll.)

Enrollment of ministers. (See roll.)

Appointment of committees as follows: On Finance, On Ordination, On Temperance, On Place of Meeting, On Education, On Obituary, On Appropriations, On Nomination of Officers, On Constitution and By-Laws, On New Churches, On Resolutions. (See committees; reports.)

A change of program was made necessary by the Moderator being called to Elm Grove to preach the funeral of a deceased member. Hence his annual address came prematurely. The Moderator's annual address was well prepared and was delivered with unusual excellence of thought, and yet easy to comprehend. It also

gave a splendid insight into the excellent growth and progress of the Association. In the Moderator's address special mention was made of the financial success of the churches in their contributions to the great Jubilee drive. By motion the address was turned over to the Committee on Moderator's Address.

At 11:30 a. m. the time having arrived for the introductory sermon, the Moderator presented Rev. Y. S. Turner, associated by Rev. J. W. Jones. "Go Preach My Gospel," led by Rev. J. W. Jones, was sung, and reading Acts 1st chapter. Rev. Jones preached an excellent sermon from II Kings 6:15. Subject, "Unseen Power, or the Power of God to Save Through the Spirit." "I Will Trust in the Lord" was sung, after which an offering was taken by Rev. H. C. Hairston and Bro. Morgan. Amount $5.55.

The following visitors were presented to the Association and accorded a seat, and a welcome: Sisters B. C. Graham, Gertrude Wall, Earline Kerns; Bros. Wm. Gun, C. A. Jackson. Many of them gave timely remarks.

Intermission.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

At. 2:00 p. m. praise service was conducted by Bros. C. A. Jackson and W. A. Fuller.

In the absence of the Moderator, Rev. G. H. E. Washington served as Moderator. Echoes from the field were taken up and many of the delegates gave glowing reports of the progress and spiritual growth of the Church in their respective fields of labor.

At 3:30 p. m. Rev. G. H. E. Washington, acting Moderator, presented Rev. S. G. Gilmer to preach the missionary sermon. Rev. V. L. McLean associated Rev. Gilmer. Rev. McLean lined hymn 520 and led in a fervent prayer. "Soldiers of Christ, Arise" was sung. Rev. Gilmer used for a text, Matt. 10:16, and preached a soul-reviving sermon. Rev. S. Troxler led in prayer.

Dr. Pegues of Raleigh was given some time and spoke of the importance of helping the young ministry in securing the proper education and training.

An offering was taken by Bros. J. W. Hargrave and R. T. Jennings. Amount $5.10.

Intermission.

THURSDAY NIGHT SESSION

At 8:00 p. m. song and praise service was led by Rev. A. M. Towns and Bro. Geo. Thacker.

Echoes from the field were again taken up and many gave expressions of gratitude for the hand of Providence that had led them to success during the year.

At 8:30 p. m. the Moderator presented Rev. A. S. Croom to preach the educational sermon. Associate, Rev. H. C. Hairston. Rev. Croom preached with great power, as one imbued with the Spirit and fullness of the Holy Spirit. Rev. Washington and Deacon Jennings spoke in commendable comment of Rev. Croom's most excellent sermon.

Honor Roll

C. A. Jackson	$1.00	John Dalton	.50
Thomas Welborn	1.00	J. H. Hargrave	.50
R. T. Jennings	.50	Maggie Dalton	.50
W. M. Gunn	.50	Rev. Geo. Kerns	.50
T. J. Cummings	.50	Earnest Price	.50
S. G. Gilmer	1.00	Sonie Smith	.50
W. A. Fuller	.50	Thomas Clark	.50
W. M. Hodge	.50	Y. S. Turner	.50
W. R. Robins	.50	R. E. Catus	1.00
Bro. Aiken	.50	J. W. Thacker	.50
W. A. J. Sarden	.50	W. M. Watkins	.50
S. S. Wood	.50	Bro. McMullin	.50
Charlie Bell	.50	Rev. C. M. Hughes	.50

The offering was taken by Brs. Thomas Welborn, L. B. Strong. Total collection, including honor roll, $20.56.

After some announcements from the chair, benediction was pronounced by Father S. Troxler.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION

At. 9:30 a. m. the Association assembled. Song service was conducted by Rev. S. Welborn and Rev. Geo. Kerns. Mark 1 to 25 was read. Bro. Thomas Welborn offered prayer. The Moderator, observing the time, occupied the chair and called for the minutes of the previous sessions, which were read and approved. Officers' reports.

Vice Moderator Rev. J. B. Ellis made report. (See report.)

Recording Secretary R. E. Catus made report. Report received. (See report.)

Rev. A. S. Croom spoke in commendable terms of the faithful work of the Recording Secretary and of his Christian character.

Corresponding Secretary S. G. Gilmer made report. Report received. (See report.)

Report of Treasurer R. T. Jennings. Report received. (See report.)

Report of Superannuated Treasurer, Rev. S. Troxler. Report received, and referred to Committee on Audit and Finance. (See report.)

Rev. A. S. Croom moved that Rev. S. Troxler be given a donation of $10.00 from the ministers' fund. The motion prevailed.

At 11:00 a. m. the Moderator presented Rev. T. D. Ware to preach a sermon, as per program. Rev. J. W. Poindexter associated Rev. Ware, and read I Cor. 13th chapter. Rev. Hodge offered prayer. "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord" was sung. Rev. Ware used for a text Jude 1:1.

Rev. J. W. Poindexter was given some time to speak for the Orphan Home at Winston-Salem. A collection was taken for the home. Amount of collection, $17.00.

Committee on Obituary made report. Report showed that not one death had occurred in the Association this year. As a sign of gratiude, the Moderator asked the delegation to stand and sing "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow." Rev. J. B. Ellis offered prayer of thanksgiving.

Report of Committee on Moderator's Annual Address. Report received. (See report.)

Committee on Time and Place made report. Report received. (See report.)

Committee on New Churches reported no churches had been entered this year.

Committee on Temperance made report. Report received. (See report.)

Committee on Constitution and By-Laws reported. Report received. (See report.)

Rev. S. P. Brown, pastor First Baptist Church, Reidsville, was presented to the Association and made some timely and wholesome remarks.

Sisters Pattie Wilson, Lizzie Broax, Gibson and Davis were presented to the Association and accorded a welcome.

The Executive Board having passed on election of officers made report. Report received. (See report.)

Mrs. Nannie G. Washington, as a fraternal delegate, brought greetings to the Association from the Woman's Auxiliary, and paid into the Association $15.00 for missions and $10.00 for printing minutes. Bro. R.T. Jennings moved that Sister Washington's report be received and put in our minutes.

At 3:30 p. m. Rev. G. H. E. Washington was presented to preach a temperance sermon, associated by Rev. J. W. Jones. Prayer was offered by Rev. Jackson. An offering was taken by Bros. Branic and P. A. Taylor.

Committee on Officers made report. Report received. (See report.)

Intermission.

FRIDAY EVENING SESSION

At 2:30 p. m. the Association assembled. Devotion led by Bro. Frank Hodge. The Moderator, observing the time, called for reports of committees.

Committee on Resolutions made report. Report received. (See report.)

Committee on Program made report. Report received. (See report.)

Committee on Program made report. Report received. (See report.)

Committee on Ordination made report. Report received. (See report.

Committee on Education made report. Report received. (See report.

Committee on Finance made partial report.

Recess.

FRIDAY NIGHT SESSION

At 9:00 p. m. the Association assembled, devotions being conducted by Bros. R. T. Jennings and T. J. Brannock.

At 9:30 the Moderator presented Vice Moderator Rev. J. B. Ellis to preach the doctrinal sermon, with Rev. L. S. Troxler as alternate. After lining hymn 492 and reading the 23rd Psalm, prayer was offered by Bro. Geo. Thacker. Rev. Ellis' text was Rev. 20.

An offering was taken by Bros. Crews and McMullin. Amount $6.06. An after-collection was taken for blind man, amount $6.10. Total $12.16.

Benediction.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

At 9:30 a. m. the Association assembled. Song and prayer services were conducted by Bros. W. M. Hodge and Squire Palmer. After a very spirited praise service, the Moderator resumed the chair.

At 11:00 o'clock the Moderator presented Rev. H. C. Hairston, associated by Rev. S. G. Gilmer. "I Need Thee Every Hour" was sung. Rev. Hairston used for a text Romans 1:16, and preached an excellent sermon. Deacon R. T. Jennings made some timely comment on the very excellent sermon.

The Committee on Finance made report. Report received. (See report.)

An offering was taken by Bros. C. A. Jackson and R. L. Joyce. Amount $5.60.

Benediction by Rev. Robins.

SATURDAY EVENING SESSION

At. 3:00 p. m. praise service was conducted by Sisters Earline Kerns and others. After an inspiring song and prayer service, Rev. Robins preached to the delight and edification of his hearers. An offering was taken by Bros. Scales and Garnes. Amount $7.50. The same was given to the church and pastor, Rev. Robins.

Benediction by Rev. George Kerns.

SATURDAY NIGHT SESSION

At 9:00 p. m. praise service was conducted by the delegates.

At 9:30 a sermon by Rev. S. G. Gilmer, associated by Rev. S. Troxler. Rev. Gilmer preached from Isaiah 1.

An offering was taken by Bro. J. W. Thacker and Bro. Hughes. mount $6.26.

Benediction by Rev. S. Troxler.

SUNDAY MORNING

At 9:30 a. m. Sunday School was conducted by Supt. Bro. House Carter, Bro. J. W. Thacker and Rev. R. E. Catus. Collection, $1.90.

At 11:00 a. m. the Moderator, Rev. J. E. Boykin, ascended the rostrum, associated by Rev. Robins, and preached from I Tim. 16. Prayer was offered by Rev. George Kerns.

After some resolutions of thanks to the people of Stoneville for their hospitality and caring for the delegation, the long meter Doxology was sung.

Thus ended the most successful annual session in the history of the Association.

Benediction.

REV. J. E. BOYKIN, Moderator.

R. E. CATUS, Secretary.

OFFICERS

Moderator—Rev. J. E. Boykin, A. M.
Vice Moderator—Rev. J. B. Ellis.
Recording Secretary—Rev. R. E. Catus.
Corresponding Secretary—Rev. S. G. Gilmer.
Treasurer—R. T. Jennings.
Superannuated Treasurer—Rev. S. Troxler.
Auditor—Mrs. Nannie G. Washington.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Rev. J. E. Boykin, Rev. V. L. McLean, Rev. S. Troxler, Rev. J. B. Ellis, Rev. A. S. Croom, G. W. Thacker, Thomas Clark, Rev. G. H. E. Washington, Rev. S. G. Gilmer.

ORDAINED MINISTERS

Rev. J. E. Boykin, Thomasville, N. C.
Rev. S. Troxler, Gibsonville, N. C.
Rev. F. A. Long, Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. S. S. Welborn, Trinity, N. C.
Rev. V. L. McLean, Route No. 2, Reidsville, N. C.
Rev. S. G. Gilmer, Guilford, N. C.
Rev. J. B .Ellis, Gibsonville, N. C.
Rev. G. H. E. Washington, Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. T. D. Ware, Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. V. A. Broax, Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. A. S. Croom, 415 South Railroad Street, Salisbury, N. C.
Rec. H. C. Hairston, High Point, N. C.
Rev. H. H. Savage, Salisbury, N. C.
Rev. C. M. Hughes, Mebane, N. C.
Rev. A. L. Richardson, Route 2, Reidsville, N. C.
Rev. S. P. Warren, Topnot, N. C.
Rev. W. M. Wilson, Burlington, N. C.
Rev. W. R. Robins, High Point, N. C.
Rev. Y. S. Turner, Burlington, N. C.
Rev. J. W. Poindexter, Winston-Salem, N. C.
Rev. S. S. Woods, Route 2, Box 63, Hillsboro, N. C.
Rev. J. P. Capel, Route 1, Box 23, Carraway, N. C.
Rev. A. R. Faucett, Glen Raven, N. C.
Rev. W. A. Cooper, 1473 Chestnut Street, Salisbury, N. C.
Rev. J. W. Jones, 1005 Southside, Winston-Salem, N. C.
Rev. Isaiah Harris.
Rev. L. L. Traynham, Kernersville, N. C.
Rev. Frank Dilworth, Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. John McMullin, Elon College, N. C.
Rev. J. A. Bigalow, Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. L. S. Troxler, Gibsonville, N. C.

LICENTIATES

Rev. J. G. Luther, Carraway, N. C.
Rev. W. M. Parrott, Salisbury, N. C.
Rev. G. H. Raye, Gibsonville, N. C.
Rev. J. H. McBoon, Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. C. F. Graham, Burlington, N. C.
Rev. R. E. Catus, Box 14, Thomasville, N. C.
Rev. Cephas Harris, Thomasville, N. C.
Rev. John Thompson, Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. S. D. Townsend, High Point, N. C.
Rev. Ed. Leach, Archdale, N. C.

Rev. Wm. Koonts, Thomasville, N. C.
Rev. George Kerns, Thomasville, N. C.
Rev. J. W. Willis.
Rev. John Dixon.
Rev. R. B. Gill.
Rev. C. R. Rudd.
Rev. Floyd Long.

MODERATOR'S ADDRESS

Dear Co-Workers and Delegates of the High Point Educational Missionary Baptist Association, Greeting:

As your presiding officer I feel very keenly the responsibility resting upon me in trying to pilot an upward course for these thirty-odd churches. Since we adjourned at Elm Grove in 1918, just twelve months ago, there has been great rejoicing because the "World War" came to an end, and the call for our men ceased. Yet there is a great and mighty war raging throughout the world today—that is war of Right against Wrong. In this war all Christians are soldiers on the side of right, and we are called upon to take the weapon of righteousness and fight the good fight of faith, and lay hold on eternal life. The thing most essential is to have an object in life,—an ideal within you that will raise the character and excellence of your work. Because whatever of dignity, whatever of strength we have within us, will dignify and will make strong the labor of our hands; whatever littleness degrades our spirit will lessen them and drag them down; whatever noble fire is in our hearts will also be in our work; for as we are so our work is.

The chief object for us as servants is to know and do the work assigned for us to do. In great aims and in small, be thoroughly in earnest. Don't stand around idle. You will find if you read your Bible that the boys or men whom God set to work were not standing around complaining and waiting for a job. Take David, or Samuel, or Saul, for example. Doors do not open to a man until he is prepared to enter them. It was Daniel Webster who said, "There is always room at the top." The nearer you get to the top the more room you find. Life at best is a great struggle; it never ran smooth yet, and can hardly be expected to change its character for us; so we must take it as we find it, and fashion it into the best shape we can by preparation, patience, and earnest work.

As ministers of the Gospel be men, true and helpful. Let us help each other, every man of us, by kindly words and by encouragement. If you should possess a good plan to achieve success do not put a patent on it; just pass it around, give it to the

next one; say to him, "Pass it on to your brother." By so doing the world will be filled with the true spirit of joy, brotherliness and uplifting. (Remember the boy who received the telegram, etc.)

The Jubilee Celebration

The Jubilee Celebration held in Raleigh July 22-24 is now a matter of history. It was a great meeting in every particular. It was great in spirit and in vision. The attendance was large, and quite a number of our ministers were there to witness and participate in that great Baptist assembly.

As Supervisor of the Jubilee funds, I was able to report $290.52 from this Association collected by the churches as follows:

Sharon	$ 17.00	White Oak Grove	8.50
Austin Grove	7.00	Oak Spring	9.05
Oak Ridge	7.50	East Market	25.00
Martin's Chapel	2.00	Stoney Creek Grove	5.00
Glen Raven	5.00	Gibsonville	26.00
Fairview	4.01	New Light	26.25
Abbott's Creek	2.00	Dixonville	50.00
1st Baptist, Thomasville	10.50	Rev. S. G. Jackson	5.00
Elm Grove	49.21	Foster's Grove	12.84
Locust Grove	25.80		
Elon College	5.65	Total	$290.52

By this you see we have some pastors that seem to be the right men in the right places; they are alive to every interest for a progressive move among the Baptists in the State, and keep themselves keenly intelligent of the affairs of the denomination. We are coming into our own more and more. Experience has taught the preacher and the civilized world that whatever in life is elevating to human character, whatever is to crystallize the virtues of humanity, whatever it is to smooth the rough places in the road of life and make the path of duty plain, must be touched at some point by the hand of God's minister.

Too many good things cannot be said for our loyal pastors of both the large and small churches for they made it possible for me to make this most excellent report here and at the Jubilee Celebration. I would be glad to make personal mention of each of them, but space forbids. So I will close with the following recommendations:

Recommendations

1. We recommend that each Church be urged to have its Sunday School, B. Y. P. U., and the Sunshine Band represented annually in our Sunday School Convention. And that every Church send a lady delegate to the Woman's Auxiliary each year.

2. That each Church make special efforts to increase its representation money for the Association next year, that we may have more money to donate to the various causes for which we stand.

3. That we as pastors and officers of churches—see to it that our own organizations, viz.: Sunday School Convention and Woman's Auxiliary, be not neglected. And let us stop aiding any other convention or organization that does not meet the approval of the Association.

Yours for continued success,

J. E. BOYKIN.

OFFICERS' REPORTS

VICE MODERATOR'S REPORT

Dear Brethren of the High Point Association:

I am thankful to God for keeping us through another year and bringing us together in this another Association. I am proud of the spirit and growth of this Association. I feel that God is leading His people on to victory. I stand ready to be used in this Christian body, to foster every good cause that tends to lift our people to a higher standard of Christian living.

Your humble servant,

J. B. ELLIS, Vice Moderator.

RECORDING SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the Moderator, Officers and Delegates Assembled in This the Thirtieth Annual Session of This Association, Greetings:

The traveler across the desert hails with delight the oasis which offers shade and refreshment for his weary limbs. The mariner upon the bosom of the deep welcomes the outlines of a friendly coast where a safe harbor awaits his storm-tossed craft. Once a year, with scarcely less joyous anticipation, do the Christian workers of this Association lay aside material things and, actuated by a call to spiritual duty, wend their way to some sacred spot, dedicated to the service of the Master, where they may recount their labors, enjoy social intercourse, and reciprocate confidences touching the disappointments and the triumphs experienced since they parted a twelve months ago. A year ago we pledged anew our fidelity and our devotion to the cause of Christ under whose proud banner we are now assembled. Ere we close this final page in the volume which contains the record of 1918-19 shall not each of us ask himself: To what extent have I faithfully and conscientiously administered the duties of the position I have occupied in this Association?

What, as an officer, as a deacon, as a minister, as a layman, as a Christian, have I contributed to the promotion of the high ideals of the Christian religion? How exemplified the true tenets of brotherly love? What have I done to soothe the unhappy, to compassionate their misery; and to restore peace to their troubled minds?

Happy, indeed, are we, my brothers, if we can place our hands upon our hearts and say: I have done the best I could. Angels could do no more.

Now as to our minutes: Your Executive Committee recommend a reduction in the number of minutes to be printed this year. But after hearing complaints from some of the churches, that they did not get but a few, and after consulting with the Moderator, we decided it best not to reduce the number sent out in 1917. Hence we had printed 800 minutes, and distributed them to 33 churches, proporotionately. Trusting that the Spirit of Christ may permeate every heart as we enter upon the business that shall come before us.

Your co-worker in the Church,

R. E. CATUS.

REPORT OF TREASURER

Received from the Secretary August, 1918, for the Association	$ 82.99
Paid out for minutes being printed	65.15
Balance in treasury	$ 17.84

R. T. JENNINGS, Treasurer.

SUPERANNUATED TREASURER'S REPORT

Amount on hand August, 1918		$ 60.00
Paid S. S. Welborn	$ 1.25	
Paid S. Troxler	1.50	
		2.75
Balance on hand August, 1919		$ 57.25

S. TROXLER, Treasurer.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE ON MODERATOR'S ADDRESS

We, your Committee on Moderator's Address, after a careful investigation, do hereby recommend that said address be published

as a whole in the minutes of the Association.

PRINCE E. TYLOR,
REV. G. H. E. WASHINGTON,
REV. J. W. JONES,
Committee.

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATION OF OFFICERS

We, your Committee, recommend the following brothers as officers for the ensuing year:

Rev. J. E. Boykin, Moderator.
Rev. J. B. Ellis, Vice Moderator.
Rev. R. E. Catus, Recording Secretary.
Rev. S. G. Gilmer, Corresponding Secretary.
Bro. R. T. Jennings, Treasurer.
Rev. S. Troxler, Superannuated Treasurer.
Mrs. Nannie G. Washington, Auditor.

REV. A. S .CROOM,
REV. S. S. WELBORN,
SAMUEL HAITH,
M. S. SCALES,
MRS. M. E. CREWS,
C. A. JACKSON,
Committee on Officers.

COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE

We, your Committee on Temperance, report as follows:

Whereas, intemperance is a great moral evil among any people, therefore, as ministers of the Gospel and spiritual leaders of the people, let us preach and teach total abstinence from all intoxicants, and to be temperate in all things, as taught in the Bible.

REV. J. W. JONES,
REV. W. M. GUNN,
A. S. REID,
Committee.

COMMITTEE ON TIME AND PLACE

As a Committee on Time and Place, we recommend the next annual sitting will be with Locust Grove Baptist Church, at Brown Summit, beginning Wednesday before the first Sunday in August, 1920.

Y. S. TURNER,
G. W. THACKER,
L. B. STRONG,
RUFUS THOMAS,

THOMAS CLARK,
R. T. JENNINGS,
W. M. HUGHES,
S. L. FOSTER,
Committee.

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, the good people of Stoneville have been so generous in caring for the delegates and visitors to this Association;

Resolved, That this Association extend to them our heartfelt thanks for the very excellent and hospitable way that we were entertained, and that we go from this place with sweet recollections of the people of Stoneville.

REV. H. C. HAIRSTON,
D. L. MORGAN,
JOHN DIXON,
REV. J. W. POINDEXTER,
Committee.

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

As reported by Committees on Finance and Disbursements.

Receipts

Total received from churches	$ 187.10
Total public collections	85.52
Total Woman's Auxiliary	25.00
From churches after adjournment	8.50
Brought forward from 1918	17.74
Total receipts	$ 323.86

Disbursements

Paid out by order of Appropriations Committee	$ 211.10
Balance in treasury	$ 112.76

CONSTITUTION

Article I.

1. This Association shall be known as the High Point Educational and Missionary Baptist Association, of the Holy Spirit, and to advance the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ throughout the bounds.

2. That all ministers shall pay fifty cents and shall be paid before said ministers shall have any voice in the Association.

3. The officers of this Association shall be a President, a Vice President, Recording and Corresponding Secretaries, Treasurer, and as many Boards of Managers as may seem necessary. Each Board shall have control of all business committed to them, and shall be elected annually.

4. All boards, committees and officers elected at one session of the Association shall make a satisfactory report to the Association before they are re-elected.

5. Each church in this Association will be expected to send 20c per member and said amount will be known as the Association fund.

6. The Association will co-operate with the American Baptist Home Missionary Society of New York, with its work within our bounds.

7. We recommend Hiscocks Baptist Church Directory as a true guide for the churches in business meetings within the bounds of this Association.

8. There shall be a treasurer and fund raised annually and kept expressly for superannuated ministers within the bounds of the Association.

9. The Association shall have no power over the internal affairs of the churches; but where a church holds a pastor and accepts his services, the failure or neglect to pay such pastor his salary will place the church in bad standing.

10. There shall be the following boards appointed at each session: (1) Home Mission Board; (2) Educational Board; (3) Executive Board.

11. This Constitution may be changed by a two-thirds vote; provided it does not effect sections 2, 3, 4, 5, and 10.

12. This Association shall meet annually on Wednesday before the first Sunday in August, at such place as may be agreed upon while in session.

13. Extra sessions of this Association may be called by the President and Executive Board and conduct the same business as an annual session.

14. We further recommend thatone-half of the fee for Secretary shall be paid at the Association, the remaining half to be paid after minutes have been distributed to the various churches.

15. Any church in good standing wishing to withdraw from this Association, upon a written request, can do so provided it notifies the President three months before the Association convenes and the President shall notify the Executive Board.

16. Any minister coming from any other Associations to unite with us.

17. No member of our church shall join another sister Baptist

church without proper letter form of dismissal.

Whereas, men belonging to the High Point Association have been unlawfully ordained in the past be it known:

Supplementary to Constitution

1. That we recognize no ordination outside of two or three members of the Ministerial Council.

2. Any man ordained otherwise will not be recognized as an elder in this Association.

3. If any minister violates this order he shall be dropped from this Association.

By order of the Executive Board.

Standing Resolutions

1. That while we recognize the independence of the Baptist Church, we cannot believe that said church is at liberty to enact a law or usage contrary to the denomination to which it belongs, or with which it is identified.

2. That we believe it to be to our interest as Baptist churches to cling to and practice the New Testament usages.

3. That we recommend to our brethren of this Association the obtaining of a thorough knowledge of Baptist usages.

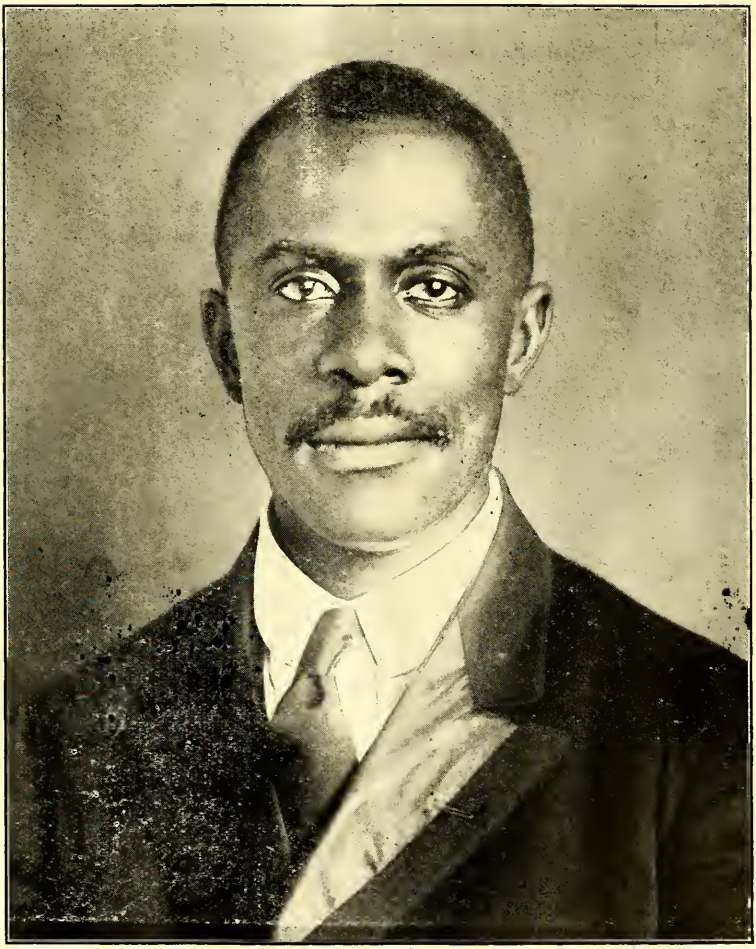
4. That it is to the best interest of the churches of this Association to call ministers belonging to this Association as pastors.

5. That no minister should be ordained unless his usefulness actually demands it.

6. That we heartily endorse Shaw University, Raleigh, as our great Baptist headquarters.

7. That the Baptist Home Missions Monthly published under the direction of the American Baptist Home Mission Society, of New York, should be read by every Baptist minister of this Association.

8. That hereafter no minister shall be ordained unless he has a good primary education. He must understand church government; eight parts of speech of the English language; six rules in grammar; four fundamental principles of arithmetic; eighteen articles of faith and must be a man of good character. That the hand of fellowship be withdrawn from any brother breaking this rule.



REV. A. S. CROOM, B. D., Member of Executive Board
and Pastor Dixonsville Baptist Church, Salisbury, N. C.

FORM OF CHURCH LETTER

From_____Baptist Church At_____To the High Point Educational and Missionary Baptist Association for year 19____

We send as Delegates, viz:

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During the past year we gained: By Baptism_____, By Letter_____, by Experience_____, By Restoration_____, Total Gain_____.

We Lost: By Letter_____, By Death_____, By Exclusion_____, Total Loss_____. Present Males_____, Females_____, Total_____.

Value of Church Property $_____. Seating Capacity of Church _____, Sabbaths Worship_____, Pastor's Salary per year $_____, Amount of Money raised during the year for all purposes $_____, Amount Paid $_____, Amount sent this session for Representation $_____, Amount for Educational Institutions $_____, Amount sent for Missions $_____, Amount sent for Orphans $_____, Total amount sent to the Associations $_____, Names of ordained Ministers belonging to our church by membership_____

Licentiates _____

Clerk's name_____

Address_____

Pastor's name Rev._____

Address_____

PROCEEDINGS
of the
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY
to the
HIGH POINT ASSOCIATION OF NORTH CAROLINA
Held with the
EAST MARKET STREET BAPTIST CHURCH
GREENSBORO, N. C.,
July 4, 5 and 6, 1919.
Rev. G. H. E. Washington, Pastor.

President—Mrs. G. A. Taylor,
Brown Summit, N. C.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. N. Geneva Washington,
350 Macon Street, Greensboro, N. C.
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. J. E. Boykin,
Thomasville, N. C.

The next session to be held with Elm Grove Baptist Church,
Benaja, N. C., Friday before the First Sunday
in July, 1920.

OFFICERS.

President—Mrs. G. A. Taylor_____Brown Summit, N. C.
First Vice President—Mrs. L. C. Graves_____Greensboro, N. C.
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Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. J. E. Boykin____Thomasville, N. C.
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EXECUTIVE BOARD.

Mrs. Thenia Hargraves, Mrs. Clara Foster, Mrs. Maggie McTeer, Mrs. Jerushia Boykin, Mrs. Edith Dilworth, Mrs. Mattie Thompson, Mrs. M. E. Crews, Mrs. Mary Slade, Mrs. Annie Bell Strong, Mrs. Ida Scott, Mrs. Sallie Thacker.

LIST OF COMMITTEES.

Finance—Mrs. J. E. Boykin, Mrs. Thenia Hargroves, Mrs. Maggie McTeer.

Enrollment—Mrs. J. E. Boykin, Mrs. Conelia Taylor.

Temperance—Mrs. Mattie Thompson, Mrs. Fannie Price, Mrs. Mary Townsend, Mrs. Cornelia Neal.

Officers—Mrs. L. R. Poindexter, Mrs. Bessie Croven, Mrs. Mary Hargraves, Mrs. Sarah Thacker, Rev. Price, Mrs. Maggie Comer, Mrs. Missouri Bell, Mrs. P. G. Toliver, Mrs. Lena Smoot, Rev. A. S. Croom, Rev. Y. S. Turner, Rev. Willie Wilson.

Obituaries—Mrs. Edith Dilworth, Mrs. M. E. Crews, Mrs. Missouri Bell, Mrs. Mary Slade, Mrs. F. Donnell, Mrs. Bessie Caldwell, Mrs. Katie Johnson.

Appropriations—Mrs. J. E. Boykin, Mrs. C. Foster, Mrs. N. G. Washington, Mrs. Thenia Hargraves, Mrs. Edith Dilworth.

Time and Place—Mrs. Ida Miller, Mrs. E. Dilworth, Miss Majoria Taylor.

New Bodies—Mrs. Conelia Taylor, Mrs. Clara Foster, Mrs. Mattie Thompson, Mrs. Mary Taylor.

Names of Organizers—Mrs. J. E. Boykin, Mrs. Thenia Hargraves, Mrs. M. E. Crews, Mrs. G. A. Taylor, Mrs. Ella Brown, Mrs. Edith Dilworth, Mrs. N. G. Washington.

LIST OF DELEGATES AND VISITORS.

Rev. Y. S. Turner, R. F. D. No. 8 ---------- Burlington, N. C.
Rev. A. S. Croom ---------- Salisbury, N. C.
Mrs. L. R. Chavis ---------- Trinity, N. C.
Mrs. Mary Hargraves ---------- Salisbury, N. C.
Mr. W. M. Gunn, 110 Perry Street ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. J. W. Jones, 1373 Chestnut Street ---------- Winston, N. C.
Rev. W. R. Robins, 216 Fairview tSreet ---------- High Point, N. C.
Mrs. Ethel Fuller, Coles Street ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Miss Lelia Watkins, Gilmer Street ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. J. E. Boykin ---------- Thomasville, N. C.
Mrs. L. R. Poindexter ---------- Winston-Salem, N. C.
Mrs. G. A. Taylor ---------- Brown Summit, N. C.
Miss Majoria Taylor ---------- Brown Summit, N. C.
Mr. J. W. Thacker ---------- Brown Summit, N. C.
Mr. P. E. Taylor ---------- Brown Summit, N. C.
Rev. J. L. McMullen ---------- Elon College, N. C.
Mrs. Addie Graves ---------- Gibsonville, N. C.
Mrs. Ella Brown ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. P. G. Toliver ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. Clara F. Mills ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. E. S. Green ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. G. H. E. Washington ---------- Greensboro, N. C.

Rev. S. G. Jackson ---------- Cleveland, N. C.
Rev. Willie Wilson ---------- Burlington, N. C.
Mrs. Willie Wilson ---------- Burlington, N. C.
Mr. N. G. Washington ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. Mattie Thompson, R. F. D. No. 4, Box 189 -- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. Hattie Caldwell, 2006 Ashe Street ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Adline Laubury ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. Bessie Caldwell ---------- Kings Creek, S. C.
Mrs. Katie Johnson ---------- Kings Creek, S. C.
Rev. R. B. Gill ---------- High Point, N. C.
Rev. G. W. Price ---------- High Point, N. C.
Mrs. Fannie Price ---------- High Point, N. C.
Mr. W. R. Price ---------- High Point, N. C.
Rev. S. D. Townsend ---------- High Point, N. C.
Rev. W. W. Price ---------- Shelby, N. C.
Rev. J. B. Ellis ---------- Burlington, N. C.
Mrs. Thenia Hargraves, 520 S. Shaver Street ---------- Salisburg, N. C.
Mr. Alex Brown ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. Lena Torrence, 515 S. Railroad Street ---------- Salisbury, N. C.
Mrs. Jessie Davis ---------- Thomasville, N. C.
Mrs. Mary H. Taylor, Route 2, Box 60 ---------- Reidsville, N. C.
Mrs. Mary Apple, Route 2, Box 66 ---------- Reidsville, N. C.
Mrs. Mary Slade ---------- Gibsonville, N. C.
Mrs. Maggie McTeer, Route 1 ---------- Reidsville, N. C.
Mrs. Mary Townsend ---------- High Point, N. C.
Mrs. M. E. Crews ---------- Summerfield, N. C.
Mrs. M. A. Bell, Route 1 ---------- Reidsville, N. C.
Mrs. Cornelia Neal, Box 469 ---------- Reidsville, N. C.
Mrs. Maggie Comer, Route 4, Box 96 ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. Fannie Donnell, White Oak, No. 1 ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. Huldia Whitfield, 617 Sampson Street ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. Nannie Wright, 412 Dudley Street ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. H. S. Gunn, 406 Beech Street ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Mrs. Cornelia H. Taylor, Box 175 ---------- Thomasville, N. C.
Mrs. Naomi Boger, 210 Wise Street ---------- High Point, N. C.
Little Clineta Price ---------- High Point, N. C.
Delilah Pennix, Route 1 ---------- Brown Summit, N. C.
Inez Dilworth, White Oak ---------- Greensboro, N. C.
Rev. S. O. Donnell ---------- Madison, N. C.

R. E. CATUS, Recording Secretary of the High Point Association
Thomasville, North Carolina

PROCEEDINGS.

FRIDAY MORNING'S SESSION.

Greensboro, N. C., July 4, 1919.

The Woman's Auxiliary to the High Point Missionary and Educational Association met on the above named date with the East Market Street Baptist Church, Greensboro, N. C.

The Vice President, Mrs. Mattie Thompson, in the chair, proceeded to open the sixth annual session of the Auxiliary.

Sisters Ada Gill and Hattie Graves led the praise service. The eleventh chapter of Acts was read for the morning's lesson. A spiritual feast was enjoyed.

The Committee on Enrollment was then appointed. The visitors were introduced: Mrs. Fannie Donnell, Rev. Price, Mrs. Price, Mrs. Whitfield, Mrs. Nannie Wright, Rev. W. W. Price, Roosevelt Crews, Mrs. Neal, Mrs. Caldwell, Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Gill, Mrs. Mary Day.

The auxiliary was favored with short talks from Rev. W. W. Price, of Shelby, N. C.; Rev. J. B. Ellis, of Burlington, N. C., and Rev. R. B. Gill, of High Point, N. C.

After the announcements were made the auxiliary closed with prayer by Rev. R. B. Gill.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON'S SESSION, 2:30 P. M.

The praise service was led by Sisters Fannie Donnell, Maggie Comer, Mary Townsend and Nettie Neal. The sisters expressed in songs an expression of their many thanks for being spared another twelve months. The fourteenth chapter of John was read for the lesson. Prayer was offered by Sister Mary Slade, of Gibsonville.

The President, Mrs. G. A. Taylor, took the chair and proceeded to appoint the committees.

The topic, "Evangelism; Its Nature and Importance," was discussed by Rev. J. W. Jones. Rev. Jones beautifully emphasized the meanings and said in part: "We must be possessed with the power of God to carry out its missions."

Rev. Washington also spoke on the subject and earnestly urged that we live such lives that the world may see Christ in us.

Rev. S. D. Townsend also said that we can help to evangelize the world by putting our money behind the word to help carry it to those in darkness.

There were many good things said also by Mrs. M. E. Crews and Rev. R. B. Gill.

Mrs. Torrence and Mrs. Apple were introduced.

Mrs. P. G. Toliver lifted the collection; amount, $6.20.

The blessing was asked by Mrs. M. E. Crews.

Benediction by Rev. J. W. Jones.

FRIDAY NIGHT'S SESSION.

The praise service was led by Sisters Mary Apple, Jessie Davis, Bessie Potts and Lena Torrence. The service was very impressive.

The President proceeded to carry out the program of the hour.

The welcome addresses were delivered: On part of the Church, Deacon W. M. Gregory; on part of the Auxiliary, Mrs. Lena Smoot; on part of the Sunday School, Lawyer G. H. Mitchell; on part of the B. Y. P. U., Miss Lillie Mae Adams.

The response was made by Miss Hattie Dilworth.

The welcome addresses and response were well delivered.

The Vice President, Mrs. Mary Hargraves, took the chair and the body listened to the President's address. The address was full of good thoughts and helpful suggestions and recommendations. It was placed in the hands of a committee.

"Just As I Am" was sung, led by Mrs. Foster.

The President then introduced the speaker, Rev. W. W. Price, who was assisted by Revs. Washington and Jones.

Hymn No. 520 was lined by Rev. Jones. Prayer was offered by Rev. Washington.

The Rev. Price used as a text the fourteenth verse of the fourth chapter of Ephesians. His subject, "Unity." The speaker preached an excellent sermon. He earnestly urged the women to pray that the love of God may be spread in the whole world, and he declared if the world would be governed by the power of love we will find union.

"Savior, More Than Life to Me" was sung, led by Rev. J. W. Jones.

The collection was lifted by Mrs. Addie Graves and Miss Hattie Dilworth; amount, $6.25.

Mrs. L. R. Chavis asked the blessing.

Benediction by Rev. J. W. Jones.

SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 5, 1919.

The praise service was led by Sisters Lila Pennix, Missouri Bell, Ida Miller and Maria Bolden.

"A Charge to Keep I Have" was sung.

Matthew, eleventh chapter, was read for the lesson.

Prayer was offered by Sister Bell. Some very good remarks were made by Sisters Thenia Hargraves and Taylor, of Thomasville.

The President took the chair and called on Revs. A. S. Croom and Y. S. Turner. Both came forward in a short way, yet uplifting,

made the sisters feel more encouraged.

Mrs. Neomi Boger, of Gethsemane Church, High Point, came forward and spoke for her church and work.

"Savior, More Than Life to Me" was sung, led by Sister Thenia Hargraves.

Miss Majorie Taylor, of Brown Summit, was present and came forward and was then introduced, and she represented her church, Locust Grove Baptist Church, Brown Summit.

Rev. Willie Wilson and wife were introduced to the body.

"The Church Loyalty," the topic to be led by Sisters Bessie Craven and others, was led off by Sister Conelia Taylor, of Thomasville, owing to the absence of Sister Bessie Craven. Sister Taylor certainly did show the auxiliary the meaning of church loyalty. She said: "We can judge the sisters who are loyal in their individual churches by the way they sho wtheir loyalty to this body when put on program." She was followed by Mrs. Mary Hargraves, who coincided with Mrs. Taylor. Mrs. Clara Foster, of Greensboro, also spoke on the subject. She said: "The loyal members of the church are the members who give the church no trouble, but the disloyal ones are nine times out of ten the fault-finders.

The Reports From the Field.

Sister Missouri Bell reported for Elm Grove Baptist Church. She reported their work was in a good condition and also said her sisters were having good prayer meetings each week.

Mrs. Conelia Taylor reported for First Baptist Church, Thomasville, N. C. She reported as having done much work though they had not grown very large in number, yet they have grown strong spiritually and financially.

Mrs. Mary Taylor reported for Jones Chapel. She reported her work in Jones Chapel in a growing condition. She reported her sisters working in union.

Mrs. Mary Apple also reported for Jones Chapel. She coincided with Sister Taylor.

Miss Ida Miller reported for Dixonville Circle, Salisbury, N. C. She reported her sisters busy at work. She stated that although they were busy, yet they forgot not the auxiliary.

Mrs. Anna Coeffer reported for Stokesdale, Oak Springs. She reported that her church was in a good condition.

Mrs. Matilda Jennings reported for the East Market Street Baptist Church. She said her church was a busy little church and her sisters were in good condition.

Miss Majorie Taylor reported for Locust Grove, Brown Summit. She reported for the church a good condition. She stated

they did not have an itemized report, but they are still in working condition.

Mrs. Addie Graves reported for Gibsonville. She reported for the church in a good condition, and said her church's progress was attributed to the system of love. It was suggested to the body that a representative would be sent to the association to recommend that some special object for our educational object. Also recommended that our foreign mission money be made in the woman's work of the Lott Cary Convention that our auxiliary may get the credit of its donation.

The time having arrived for the memorial services, Sisters Missouri Bell, Lena Torrence, Addie Groves, Mary Taylor and Mrs. Clara Foster came forward and proceeded to eulogize the memories of the following sisters: Fannie Hopkins, Vina Palmer, Conellia Milton, Mollie Neal, Leach Insley, Sue Jones, Mary McLean, Sarah Hamlin, Anderson Ford, Flora Brown, Angeline Litaker, Laura Chambers, Linn Guinn and Dina Wallace.

"Nearer, My God, to Thee" was sung and the fifteenth chapter of Psalms was read by Mrs. Addie Graves.

"Oh, For a Closer Walk" was sung.

Many songs and words of worthy praise were spoken in memory of the deceased members.

Owing to the lateness of the hour the memorial services were continued until the afternoon session.

"Together Let Us Sweetly Live" was sung for the closing.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION.

The sisters reassembled at 2:30 p. m. and proceeded to continue the memorial service. Many prayers for the bereaved and for the churches who had lost their faithful workers.

After the completion of the memorial service, Sisters Edith Dilworth, Mary Slade and Lila Pennix proceeded to open the praise service for the afternoon's session.

Many were glad that they attended this session. A division of the Psalms was read for the lesson. Many beautiful thoughts were brought out on the lesson. The shower of the Holy Spirit came in so much that business was suspended for one hour.

Rev. Carter and Rev. Donnell were present and each was asked to say something, and they kindly responded.

Mrs. Lena Smoot and Mrs. Laura Cook were asked to lift the collection; amount $2.50.

The blessing was asked by Mrs. Lena Smoot.

The Committee on Temperance made their report, which was received.

REV. G. H. E. WASHINGTON, D. D., Member Executive Board and Pastor East Market St. Baptist Church, Greensboro, N. C.

The Committee on Officers made their report.

The Committee on New Bodies made their report as receiving application for two new circles. The Gethsemane Church, High Point, and New Light Sewing Circle. The report was read with the acceptance of the two circles.

It was motioned and carried that we would appoint a program committee consisting of five to lessen the expense of having to call the whole executive board. It was carried.

It was then motioned and carried that the President, Recording Secretary and Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Thenia Hargraves and Mrs. M. E. Crews, would compose the Program Committee.

It was motioned and carried that owing to the non-organization of the work in the east, that Sister Ella Brown be elected as a special organizer to organize the work in the bounds of our association.

Dr. J. E. Dillinger, of the city, was present and was introduced. Dr. Dillinger came forward and expressed his pleasure of being present and also gave the sisters a bit of the history of our association. No further business.

Benediction by Rev. Wilson.

SUNDAY MORNING SESSION.

Sunday morning, July 6, 1919.

Sunday School was conducted by the Superintendent, Lawyer A. H. Mitchell.

The praise service was led by Sisters Dilworth, Stokes, Thompson. The Hope lesson was used for the morning lesson.

After the praise service, owing to the absence of Sister L. R. Poindexter, Sister Lucy Thompson was asked to speak in behalf of Home at Winston. Sister Thompson spoke of the present conditions of the home and earnestly urged the sisters to do all in their power to help to carry on the completion of the new building.

After Sister Thompson's talk the 449th hymn was sung and prayer was offered by Rev. A. H. E. Washington.

"Come Ye That Love the Lord" was sung, led by Rev. Willie Wilson.

The President then introduced the speaker, Rev. S. G. Jackson. Rev. Jackson used as a text from Genesis, "She shall be called woman." The sermon was full of good words of commendations on the part of all the sisters.

The collection was lifted by Sister Mary Hargraves and Sister Lizzie Holt ;amount raised, $12.

The blessing was asked on the offering by Sister Edith Dil-

worth.

A letter to the circle at Sharon was read by the Secretary.

Benediction was delivered by Rev. S. A. Jackson.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 6.

The praise service was led by Sisters Emma Evans, Mary Slade, M. E. Crews and Lizzie Holt.

After many songs and prayers, the President took the chair and presented the speaker for the hour, Rev. Willie Wilson.

Rev. G. H. E. Washington and Rev. S. A. Jackson assisted in the opening service.

"Come Ye That Love the Lord" was sung.

The seventy-sixth Psalm was read by Rev. Washington.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Jackson.

Hymn No. 99 was sung, led by Rev. Washington.

Rev. Wilson sang, "Come Ye That Love the Lord." He used for his text Matthew, the fifth chapter. "He that thirst and hunger after righteousness shall be filled."

The Rev. Wilson preached a sermon that will be remembered by all present.

"Is Not This the Land of Beulah" was sung.

The collection was lifted; amount $18.00.

Benediction by Rev. G. H. E. Washington.

SATURDAY NIGHT SESSION.

The praise service was led by Sisters Delilah Pritchett, Lillie May Johnson.

The third chapter of John was read for the lesson.

The praise service was well supported with strong songs and testimonies.

The minutes of the three sessions were read by the Secretary. The minutes were received with proper corrections.

The topic, "The Christian and Soul-winning" was beautifully discussed by Mrs. Thenia Hargraves and Mrs. Erie Dilworth.

Mrs. Mary Doggett, of Brown Summit, was introduced and was asked to speak. Mrs. Doggett referred to the topic and stated that she often gave her ownself an individual examination as to her power of soul-winning.

Bro. J. W. Thacker was present and spoke of the work. He said that before we can be soul-winners we must be friendly.

The musicale consisting of the young people of the various churches was then enjoyed by all present. See program.

Mrs. McLean and Miss Thacker lifted the collection.

SUNDA YNIGHT SESSION.

The B. Y. P. U. service at 7:30 p. m. was conducted by Mrs. Bessie Potts, the president. The B. Y. P. U. choir furnished some sweet music. A short program was furnished. The president, Mrs. G. A. Taylor, made some remarks.

The time having arrived for the regular night service, the service was opened by the usual order of service of the church. Rev. G. H. E. Washington, the pastor, preached an excellent sermon, which was enjoyed by all.

The sisters had their general hand-shake.

The collection of this service was turned over to the church.

Benediction by Rev. Washington.

MRS. G. A. TAYLOR, President.

MRS. N. GENEVA WASHINGTON, Secretary.

Adjourned to meet in 1920 with the Elm Grove Baptist Church, Benaja, N. C., Friday before the first Sunday in July.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Report of Committee on Officers.

We, the committee ,recommend the same officers for 1920.

Your Committee.

Report of Temperance Committee.

Be it resolved, That we, as women, will be loyal to our trust along all lines o ftemperance and societies in the bounds of our association abstain from the use of all kinds of strong drink.

Your Committee.

Committee on Time and Place.

We, your Committee on Time and Place, do recommend that the next session be held with the Elm Grove Baptist Church, Benaja, N. C., Friday before the first Sunday in July, 1920.

Your Committee.

Committee on President's Address.

We, your committee, do recommend that the President's address be placed in the minutes. Your Committee.

Report of Committee on New Bodies.

We, your committee, find two circles wishing to join us—New Light Sewing Club, Greensboro, N. C., and Gethsemane Baptist Church, High Point, N. C.

Report of Finance Committee.

From public collections	$ 35.00
From representation fees	52.55
From badges	6.75
Brought over from 1918	13.09
Total amount collected	$108.34
Disbursements	89.99
Balance in treasury	$ 17.35

Appropriations.

Executive Board expenses	$25.22
Orphans' Home, Winston, N. C.	15.00
Foreign Missions	15.00
Printing Minutes	10.00
Printing of Programs	3.77
Postage for Programs	1.00
President's fee	5.00
Secretary's fee	5.00
Badges	1.50
Sexton	1.50
President's postage	1.00
President's car fare	1.00
Donated to Rev. Price	2.00
Mrs. Foster to represent in Association	2.00
Mrs. Lucy Thompson (Sallie Miles Mem.)	1.00
	$89.99

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

Dear Sisters and Brethren of the Auxiliary and Friends:

It is with a thankful heart that Icome before you this evening. Many changes have taken place since we last met. Some who were with us then are now absent; they have answered the last call.

I am glad of this privilege to meet you face to face and to see many new faces in our midst. Let us give thanks to the Lord for His goodness and kindness; give thanks unto the Lord for His mercy endureth forever.

Dear sisters, we have our different fields to transact business for the Lord and to gather new inspiration for the cause that we are so earnestly working for and that to bring some soul to

Christ. Our coming together each year we get brighter ideas of the Christian life and with the Bible as our guide we are made strong. If we will take notice of our little work known as the Woman's Auxiliary, only six years of age, we should feel greatly encouraged, for we are growing in numbers. While we haven't reached all the churches, we hope i nthe near future to get hold of all churches in the bounds of the High Point Association. We have been able to help the Orphanage at Winston and Foreign Missions with no small sum, but when we can get our churches organized then something will come to pass.

But, sisters, let us stand united—for there is strength. We are asking our pastors to help in getting their women concerned about the woman's work of this association, for they need the women's work as much as the little plants need the dew. There is a place for women's work, not the pulpit. No, no! There are little things that they don't do, but they must complete.

The Bible makes mention of woman's work when it is said, "O, woman, great is thy faith."—Matt. 15:28. Then again it says, "This woman was full of good work."—Acts 9:36.

Let us have that great faith. Christ is the same as ever and ever will be, and if we have any evil things within let us change and be filled with good that our lives may be a memorial. We are helpers in missions, home and foreign, education to train the head, and hand and to let Christ into the heart.

Dear sisters, we stand for the three. Let's us pray and work much for these three causes.

May we go down from here much encouraged and our hearts filled with good things and keener light, greater aims for working in His vineyard, for truly the harvest is white, but the laborers few.

Our Recommendations.

1. We recommend that in all our churches that all the women be set apart as members of the auxiliary; that the pastors and officers will do what is in their power for the same.

2. That we observe foreign missions and that each church send each year a donation for that special cause.

3. We ask also that each church take penny collection once a month to strengthen the circles treasury outside of the regular dues.

4. That the women of this auxiliary stand for purity and shun all worldiiness such as peace-breaking, dancing and card-playing and let our lives be an example worthy of example.

(MRS.) G. H. TAYLOR.

WOMANS AUXILIARY STAT.STICAL TABLE

NAME OF CHURCH	PRESIDENT'S NAME	PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS	Amount Sent to Orphanage	Amount Sent to Auxiliary	Total Amount
Dixonville	Mrs. A. S. Croom	R. R. St., Salisbury, N. C.	$6.00	$1.00	$7.00
First Bap., Thomasville	Mrs. J. E. Boykn	Thomasville, N. C.	4.00	1.00	5.00
Elm Grove	Mrs. Missouri Belle	Rt. 1, Reidsville, N. C.	4.00	1.00	5.00
Oak Springs	Mrs. Amanda Johnson	Stokesdale, N. C.	2.00	....	2.00
Locust Grove	Mrs. Lucy Nichols	Brown Summit	3.75	....	3.75
Gibsonville	Mrs. Lena Holt	Gibsonville, N. C.	3.00	1.00	4.00
White Oak Grove	Mrs. Emma Waters	Greensboro, N. C.	2.00	1.00	3.00
Jones' Chapel	Mrs. Hattie Neal	R. F. . 2, Reidsvlle, N. C.	1.00	1.00	2.00
New Light	Mrs. Ella Brown	159 East St., Greensboro	4.00	1.00	5.00
Gethsemane	Mrs. Neomi Boger	Wise St., High Point	1.00	....	1.00
Oak Ridge	Mrs. M. E. Crews	Summerfield, N. C.	1.00	....	1.00
East Market Street	Mrs. Hattie Caldwell	2006 Ashe St., Greensboro	4.00	1.00	5.00
Elon College	Mrs. Rebecca Young	Elon College	1.55	....	1.55
Stonesville-Sharon	Mrs. A. B. Strong	Stonesville, N. C.	1.00	1.00	2.00
B. Y. P. U. East Market St.	Mrs. Bessie Potts	Percy Street, Greensboro	1.00	....	1.00
Sunshine Band Brown Summit	Miss Darthula Thacker	Brown Summit	.75	....	.75
Sewing Circle—New Light	Mrs. P. G. Toliver	1032 E. Washington St.	1.00	....	1.00
Sunshne Band	Mrs. Neomi Boger	Wise St., High Point	.50	....	.50
Knox Grove	Miss Zelphia McGee	Elmwood, N. C.	2.00	....	2.00

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CHURCHES	Association Funds	Hotal Receipts	Total Expenditures	PASTORS AND ADDRESSES	CLERKS AND ADDRESSES
McLeansville	3.00	150.00	.....	J. W. Wiley	W. E. Murphy, Gibsonville, R. 2, Box 8
1st Bap., Thomasville.	7.00	1100..0	.....	J. E. Boykin	R. E. Catus, Thomasville, N. C.
Stoney Creek Grove..	4.25	257.00	.....	Y. S. Turner	Ella Brown, R. 1, Box 27, Altamahaw
Elm Grove	11.00	.....	.....	J. E. Boykin	Robt. Matur, Reidsville, N. C., Rt. 1.
Foster Grove	230.00	108.84	.....	F. D. Fuller	W. A. Fuller, High Point, N. C., Rt. 2
Mechanic	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chestnut Grove	2.00	.....	.....	V. L. McLain	Oscar Reid, Summerfield, N. C.
Elon College	5.00	500.00	.....	S. G. Gilmer	Samuel Haith, Elon College
Oak Ridge	2.40	155.00	.....	J. W. Jones	M. E. Crews, Summerfield, N. C.
Orange Cross Roads..	2.50	500.00	.....	S. S. Wood	J. H. Jones, Hillsboro, Rt. 2
Sharon	5.40	133.00	.....	W. R. Robbin	Mrs. Lula Price, Stoneville, N. C.
Melita Grove	2.50	.....	.....	H. C. Hairston, High Point.	M. H. Capel, R. 1, Box 23, Caraway, N. C.
East Market Street .	20.00	2575.00	.....	G. H. E. Washington	Cyrus Caldwell, Gay St., Greensboro
Jones Chapel	7.00	232.00	.....	H. C. Hairston	C. B. Aiken, Rt. 2, Reidsville, N. C.
New Light	16.25	700.00	.....	J. B. Ellis	Harrison Palmer, Greensboro, N. C.
Gibsonville	15.60	573.90	.....	J. B. Ellis	J. W. Graves, Gibsonville, N. C.
Fair Grove	3.00	50.00	.....	John Thompson	Mrs. Minnie Florence, Greensboro, Rt. 5
Locust Grove	10.00	800.00	.....	S. G. Gilmer	Richard Rankin, Brown Summit, N. C.
Oak Springs	4.00	65.00	.....	No Pastor	W. S. Frazier, Stokesdale, N. C.
Dixonsville	25.00	3000.00	.....	A. S. Croom	Ada Porch, Salisbury, N. C.
Liberty Grove	4.00	.....	.....	H. C. Hairston	.....
White Oak Grove	6.00	325.00	.....	S. G. Gilmer	Hughey Wadlington, Brown Summit
Mt. Psgah	2.00	.....	.....	S. P. Warren	J. A. L. Martin, R. 3, Mebane, N. C.
Wentworth	4.00	331.65	331.00	H. C. Hairston	B. J. Purcell, Reidsville, R. 4, Box 158
Martin's Chapel	2.00	579.00	495.00	Willie Wilson	A. V. Jefries, Waston, Rt. 1
Glen Raven	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Thomasville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Simmons Grove	2.00	400.00	.....	Rev. V. L. McLain	Carrie Hopkin, Madison, N. C.
Knox Grove	7.60	.....	.....	W. R. Robbins	Zelphia McGee, Cleveland, N. C.
Belleview	2.00	.....	.....	L. S. Traxler	Hattie Torpley, aHw River, N. C.
Mt. Euler	5.00	400.00	.....	S. G. Jackson	F. A. Chambers, Mt. Ulla, N. C.
Gethsemane	5.00	600.00	.....	W. W. Price	R. B. Gill, High Point. N. C.
Austin Grove	2.00	.....	.....	J. D. Townsend	Addie Leach, Edgar, N. C.
Abbotts Creek	.....	50.00	.....	L. L. Traynham	C. M. Traynham, Kernesville

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CHURCHES	Increase				Decrease				Membership	Value Church Property	Indebtedness	Pastor's Salary	Paid on Pastor's Salary	Paid on S. S. Missions	Paid on Foreign Missions	For Education	For Orphan Home	For Sick and Poor	For Incidental
	Baptism	Letter	Experience	Restoration	Exclusion	Letter	Erasure	Death											
McLeansville	....	11	8	....	1	....	....	1	21	$ 700.00	.....	60.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1st Bap., Thomasville	6	....	5	....	....	....	3	3	160	3000.00	.....	300.00	300.00	15.00	10.00	.....	10.00	.....	.....
Stoney Creek Grove	1	....	1	....	....	....	2	1	21	300.00	.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elm Grove	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	180	2000.00	.....	180.00	180.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Foster Grove	....	....	1	1	1	....	....	....	25	200.00	.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mechanic	3	....	2	....	....	....	....	1	35	600.00	.....	75.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chestnut Grove	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	30	500.00	.....	54.00	54.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Elon College	5	1	....	3	....	....	....	2	40	1000.00	.....	710.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oak Ridge	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	27	750.00	.....	75.00	75.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Orange Cross Roads	2	....	....	....	....	....	2	....	40	200.00	.....	85.00	85.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sharon	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	26	400.00	.....	110.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Melita Grove	4	....	7	1	....	....	....	2	11	250.00	.....	57.68	64.20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Market Street	2	1	27	....	....	1	....	3	500	8000.00	.....	795.00	795.00	30.00	10.50	15.00	15.00	35.00	.....
Jones Chapel	8	....	1	....	2	....	2	2	73	1000.00	.....	120.00	120.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Light	26	....	7	3	....	....	2	2	475	2000.00	.....	400.00	400.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gibsonville	13	....	3	2	....	....	2	....	146	2000.00	.....	373.00	373.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fair Grove	2	....	....	....	....	....	1	1	25	400.00	.....	30.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Locust Grove	13	....	2	....	....	....	....	3	115	2000.00	.....	100.00	120.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oak Springs	2	....	....	4	....	....	....	....	56	2000.00	.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....	15.00	.....	.....	.....
Dixonsville	40	2	10	2	2	....	2	8	350	30000.00	.....	12.00	1200.00	10.00	25.00	10.00	5.00	.....	.....
Liberty Grove	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
White Oak Grove	2	....	4	....	....	....	....	....	48	1000.00	.....	120.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Psgah	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	64	1000.00	.....	60.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wentworth	2	....	1	....	3	....	....	....	60	350.00	75.00	96.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Martin's Chapel	4	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	25	200.00	25.00	23.00	25.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Glen Raven	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Thomasville	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Simmons Grove	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	500.00	60.00	60.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Knox Grove	5	....	2	....	22	....	....	2	38	1000.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Belleview	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	50	1000.00	.....	100.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Euler	2	2	4	1	....	....	....	1	52	900.00	.....	300.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gethsemane	5	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	25	2000.00	400.00	150.00	.....	25.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Austin Grove	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	38	300.00	.....	128.00	128.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Abbotts Creek	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	31	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....